

# Exhibit 17

[Skip to main content](#)

## John R. Thomas



- **Email:**

[jrt6@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:jrt6@law.georgetown.edu)

- **Address:**

600 New Jersey Avenue N.W.  
Washington, DC 20001

- **Office Location:**

McDonough 496

- **Assistant:**

Maria Islam

- **Phone:**

202-662-9407

## Courses

- [Patent Law](#)
- [Intellectual Property in World Trade](#)
- [Advanced Patent Law Seminar](#)

## Professor of Law

B.S., Carnegie Mellon; J.D., University of Michigan; LL.M., George Washington

## Areas of Expertise:

[Contracts](#), [Intellectual Property](#), [Patent](#)

Professor Thomas joined the Law Center faculty in 2002. He has served as a Visiting Scholar at the Congressional Research Service for the past decade...

[CONTINUE READING](#)

## Recent Scholarship

### Books

- John R. Thomas, *Pharmaceutical Patent Law* (Arlington, Va.: Bloomberg BNA 3d ed. 2015). [\[BOOK\]](#)

## Contributions to Law Reviews and Other Scholarly Journals

- John R. Thomas, *The End of "Patent Medicines"? Thoughts on the Rise of Regulatory Exclusivities*, 70 Food & Drug L.J. 39-53 (2015). [\[HEIN\]](#) [\[W\]](#)

## Book Chapters and Collected Works

- John R. Thomas, *Toward a Theory of Regulatory Exclusivities*, in *Patent Law in Global Perspective* 345-376 (Ruth L. Okediji & Margo A. Bagley eds., New York: Oxford University Press 2014). [\[BOOK\]](#)
- John R. Thomas, *Authorized Generic Pharmaceuticals: Effects on Innovation*, in *PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY: INNOVATION AND DEVELOPMENTS* 1-14 (David A. Mancuso & Isobel M. Grenada eds., Hauppauge, N.Y.: Nova Science Publishers 2011). [\[BOOK\]](#)

[VIEW ALL SCHOLARSHIP](#)

---

## IN THE NEWS

"Foreign Companies Embracing ITC As Perceptions Shift," coverage by **Law 360**, April 13, 2017, quoting Professor **John Thomas**.

"The importance of PTAB patent review proceedings for addressing low quality patents," coverage by **IP Watchdog**, June 26, 2016, mentioning Professor **John Thomas**.

"Judge Michel says Congress stuck in a time warp on patent reform," coverage in **IP Watchdog**, May 12, 2015, featuring **Professor John Thomas**.

**Professor John R. Thomas** testified about patent reform implementation and new challenges for small businesses before the **House Committee on Small Business**, May 15, 2013.

---



- **Email:**

[jrt6@law.georgetown.edu](mailto:jrt6@law.georgetown.edu)

- **Address:**

600 New Jersey Avenue N.W.  
Washington, DC 20001

- **Office Location:**

McDonough 496

- **Assistant:**

Maria Islam

- **Phone:**

202-662-9407

## Courses

- Patent Law
- Intellectual Property in World Trade
- Advanced Patent Law Seminar